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FOR: NEW ERYTHROMYCIN A COMPOUNDS, A PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE THEREOF AND THE USE OF THE NEW COMPOUNDS IN THE CONTROL OF BACTERIA

## RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 26, 1982, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the term "erythromycin A" please insert --- (11-methyl-11-aza-4-0-cladinosyl-6-0-desosaminyl-15-ethyl-7,13,14-trihydroxy-3,5,7,9,12,14-hexamethyloxacyclopentadecane-2-one)

## In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 22 without prejudice to the reentry of the same subject matter at some later date.